

## COUNTY PROFILE

# Lincoln Co.

Lincoln Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 8, which is located in the Southwest Planning Region.



## POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

Lincoln Co.'s population decreased this decade, ranking as the 72nd fastest growing of the 87 counties in the state from 2010 to 2020. It is now the 80th largest in the state. Lincoln Co.'s population has an older median age than the state and a larger percentage of people aged 65 years and older. The population is aging, especially as the Baby Boom generation moves through the population pyramid (see Figure 1).

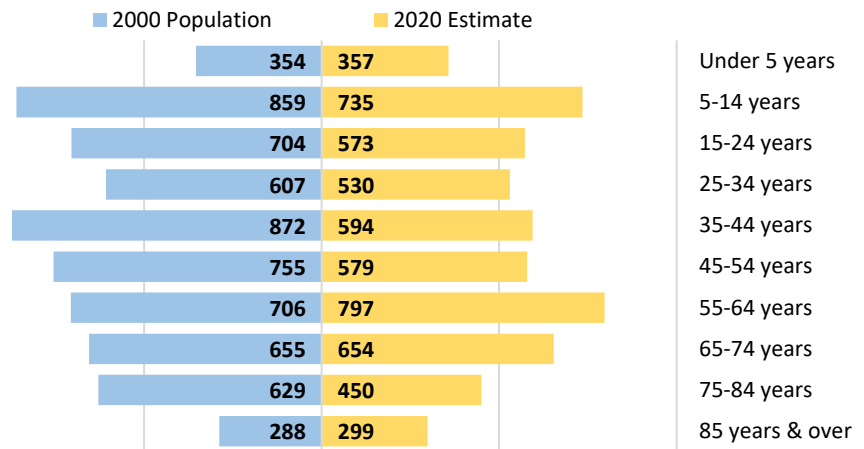
Current population:	<b>5,568 people</b>
Population change, 2010-2020	-328 people -5.6% decline

Median Age:	<b>44.9 years</b>
state:	38.3 years

	Number	Percent
Under 5 years	357	6.4%
5-14 years	735	13.2%
15-24 years	573	10.3%
25-34 years	530	9.5%
35-44 years	594	10.7%
45-54 years	579	10.4%
55-64 years	797	14.3%
65-74 years	654	11.7%
75-84 years	450	8.1%
85 years & over	299	5.4%
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>5,568</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates

Figure 1. Population Pyramid, 2000-2020



Lincoln Co. suffered a negative natural increase - more deaths than births from 2010 to 2019, but also experienced net out-migration - meaning more people moved out than moved in. Despite suffering domestic out-migration, Lincoln Co. suffered net international out-migration - losing Minnesotans to other places (see Table 2).

Table 2. Components of Population Change, 2010-2019

	Total Population Change	April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2019					
		Natural Increase	Vital Events		Net Migration		
			Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic
Lincoln Co.	-256	-79	647	726	-171	0	-171
State of Minnesota	335,705	250,488	637,356	386,868	88,161	114,414	-26,253

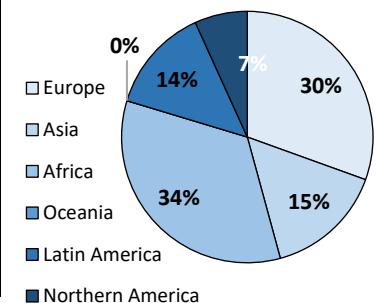
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Lincoln Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2018, Lincoln Co. saw a decrease in the number of foreign-born residents, though it was slower than the statewide increase.

	Lincoln Co.		Change 2010-2019		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change
<b>Foreign-born Population</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>-35</b>	<b>-37.2%</b>	<b>8.5%</b>	<b>28.9%</b>
Europe	18	30.5%	-17	-48.6%	9.9%	4.5%
Asia	9	15.3%	6	200.0%	37.5%	30.3%
Africa	20	33.9%	18	900.0%	25.5%	72.0%
Oceania	0	0.0%	-4	-100.0%	0.5%	37.2%
Americas:	12	20.3%	-38	-76.0%	26.6%	10.0%
Latin America	8	13.6%	-42	-84.0%	24.1%	12.2%
Northern America	4	6.8%	4	#DIV/0!	2.5%	-7.7%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population, 2019



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Lincoln Co.'s population was becoming more racially diverse over time. Since 2000, the county's white population declined, but the number of people of other races increased (see Table 4).

**Figure 3. Population by Race, 2019**

- White
- Black or African American
- American Indian
- Asian
- Some Other Race
- Two or More Races

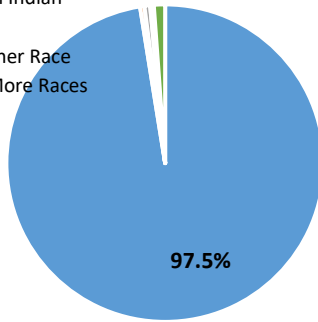


Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2019	Lincoln Co.			Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Change from 2000-2019	Percent	Change from 2000-2019
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,677</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-11.7%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>13.1%</b>
White	5,533	97.5%	-12.9%	82.8%	4.7%
Black or African American	25	0.4%	733.3%	6.4%	107.6%
American Indian or Alaska Native	33	0.6%	83.3%	1.0%	5.5%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	9	0.2%	-30.8%	4.9%	87.8%
Some Other Race	12	0.2%	-55.6%	1.9%	58.1%
Two or More Races	65	1.1%	333.3%	3.0%	99.9%
Hispanic or Latino origin	118	2.1%	114.5%	5.4%	108.9%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

## POPULATION PROJECTIONS

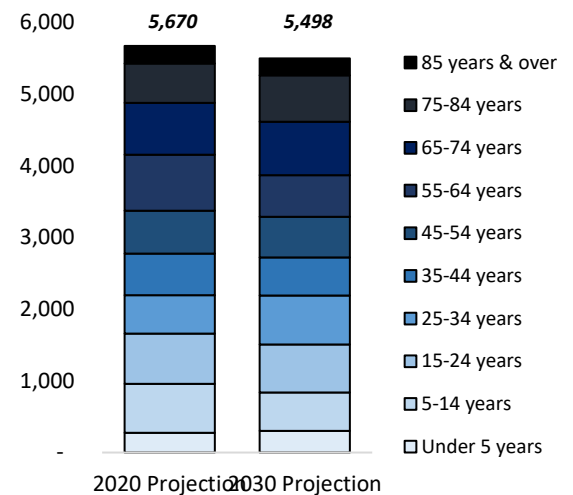
According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Lincoln Co.'s population is expected to decline from 2020 to 2030, with a rate of change that is slower than the projected statewide growth rate (5.0%). Despite the decline, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to increase over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

**Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2020-2030**

Lincoln Co.	2020 Projection	2030 Projection	Numeric Change	Percent Change
Under 5 years	274	300	26	9.5%
5-14 years	685	539	-146	-21.3%
15-24 years	700	670	-30	-4.3%
25-34 years	537	683	146	27.2%
35-44 years	580	527	-53	-9.1%
45-54 years	598	568	-30	-5.0%
55-64 years	779	582	-197	-25.3%
65-74 years	724	746	22	3.0%
75-84 years	548	645	97	17.7%
85 years & over	245	238	-7	-2.9%
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>5,670</b>	<b>5,498</b>	<b>-172</b>	<b>-3.0%</b>

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

**Figure 4. Projections by Age Group, 2020-2030**



## EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Lincoln Co. has a lower percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (92.4%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Lincoln Co. also has a higher percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a lower percentage of people with a Bachelor's degree or higher.

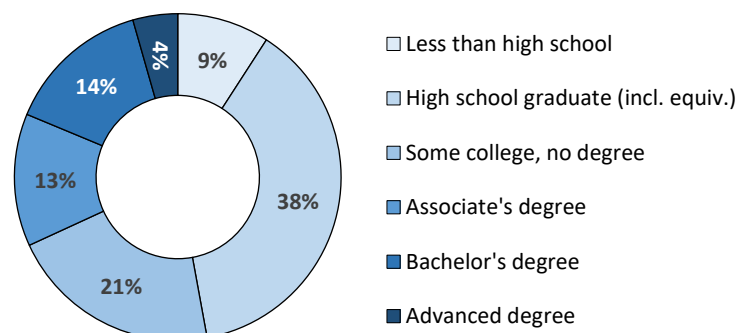
**Percentage of the adult population (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma:**

**90.9%**

**College-educated:** 52.9%  
state: 67.1%

Associate's Degree: 13.1%  
Bachelor's Degree: 14.3%  
Advanced Degree: 4.4%

**Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2019**



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

## LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 4%, Lincoln Co. had a lower unemployment rate than the state in 2020. Due to the pandemic recession Lincoln Co.'s unemployment rate increased compared to 3.8% in 2019, and was lower than the 5.5% rate posted in 2010. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Lincoln Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2010.

**3,218** available workers

Labor Force change,  
2005-2020

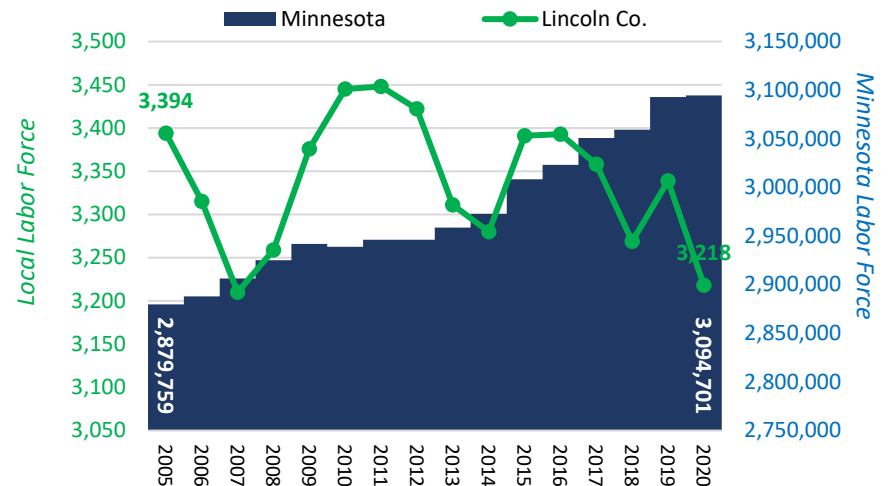
-176 workers  
-5.2% decline

**4.0%** unemployment rate

6.2% state

**129** unemployed workers

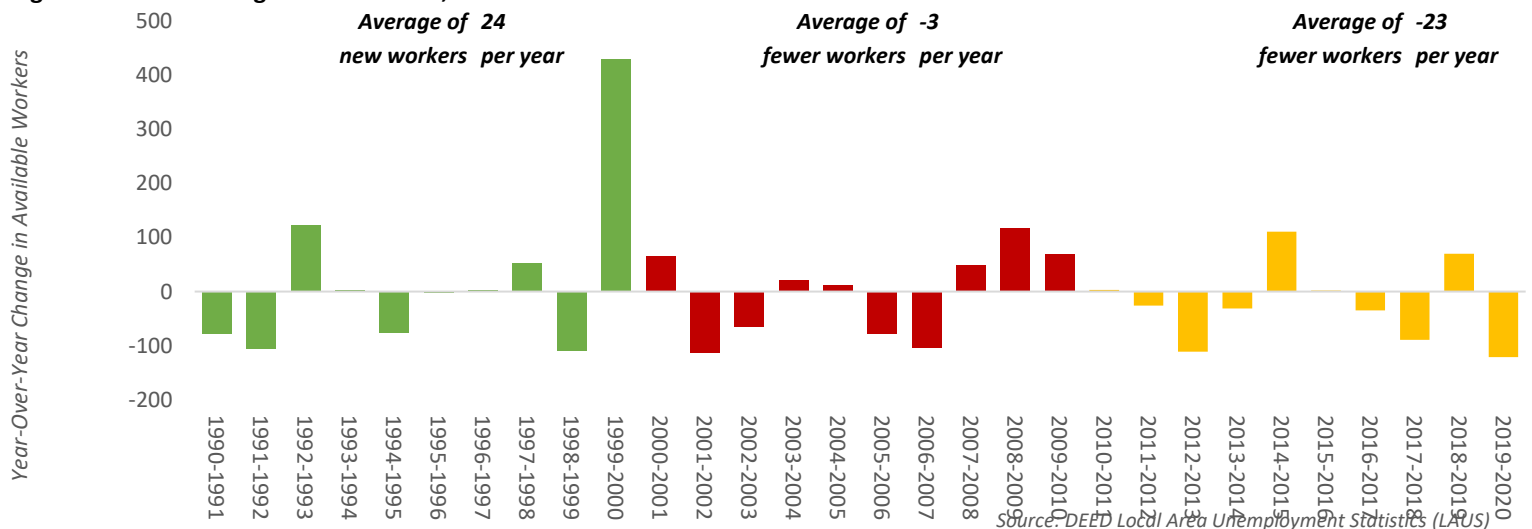
Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of workers from 1990 to 2000, Lincoln Co. averaged an annual loss of fewer workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a loss of fewer workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Lincoln Co. is expected to see a labor force decline from 2020 to 2030 (see Table 6).

Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2020



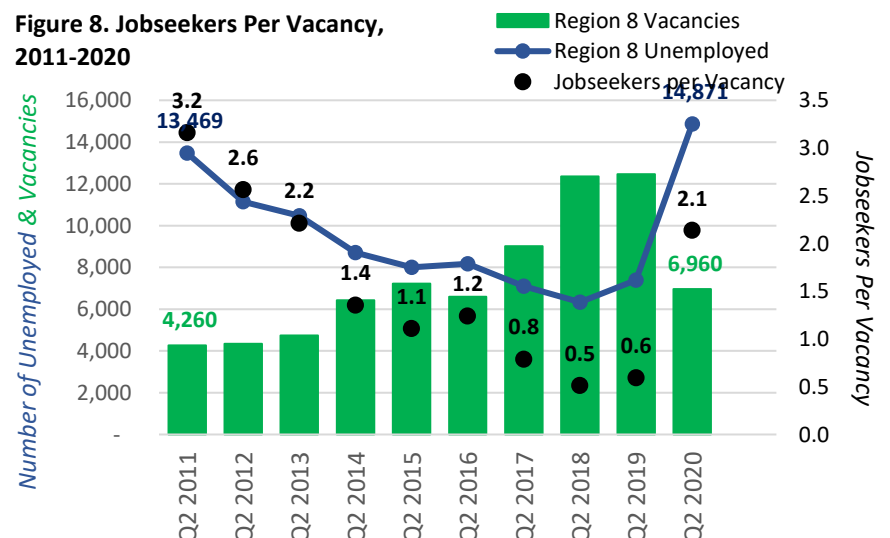
Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

Table 6. Labor Force Projections, 2020-2030	Labor Force Projection	
	2020	2030
16 to 24 years	454	463
25 to 54 years	1,517	1,576
55 to 64 years	623	466
65 years & over	310	325
<b>Total Labor Force</b>	<b>2,904</b>	<b>2,830</b>

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

The labor market has grown extremely tight in recent years, with typically less than 1 jobseeker per vacancy until the pandemic recession intervened in early 2020, and the number of unemployed workers spiked. However, even by the fourth quarter of 2020, job vacancies recovered quickly bringing back challenges in finding new workers (see Figure 8).

Figure 8. Jobseekers Per Vacancy, 2011-2020



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, LAUS program

## LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Lincoln Co. had a lower labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Lincoln Co. is less racially diverse than the state (where 84.8% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2019

	Lincoln Co.			Minnesota		Lincoln Co.	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
<b>Total Labor Force</b>	<b>2,868</b>	<b>63.8%</b>	<b>2.9%</b>	<b>69.7%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>1,558</b>	<b>1,312</b>
16 to 19 years	129	55.1%	7.0%	53.2%	11.0%	67	62
20 to 24 years	244	89.7%	3.3%	84.6%	6.0%	105	139
25 to 44 years	1,017	90.1%	3.7%	88.8%	3.2%	567	450
45 to 54 years	547	85.5%	3.1%	87.6%	2.7%	296	251
55 to 64 years	658	80.0%	1.4%	73.0%	2.8%	355	303
65 to 74 years	204	32.7%	1.0%	27.9%	2.2%	122	82
75 years & over	71	9.2%	0.0%	6.6%	2.4%	46	25

## Employment Characteristics by Race &amp; Hispanic Origin

White alone	2,801	63.7%	2.4%	69.3%	3.0%
Black or African American	20	80.0%	0.0%	71.3%	8.8%
American Indian & Alaska Native	20	60.6%	0.0%	58.9%	12.6%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	1	100.0%	0.0%	71.2%	4.3%
Some Other Race	7	100.0%	0.0%	77.7%	6.1%
Two or More Races	23	71.9%	65.2%	73.6%	7.4%
Hispanic or Latino	54	65.1%	13.0%	76.5%	6.1%

## Employment Characteristics by Disability

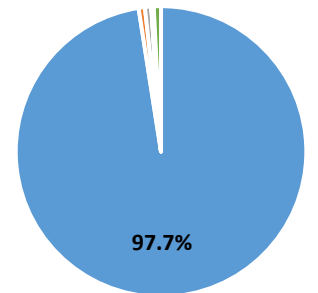
With Any Disability	107	49.1%	11.2%	53.0%	8.6%
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## Employment Characteristics by Educational Attainment

Population, 25 to 64 years	2,223	85.8%	2.9%	84.5%	3.0%
Less than H.S. Diploma	114	69.9%	6.8%	66.3%	4.2%
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	620	78.4%	0.0%	78.5%	2.6%
Some College or Assoc. Degree	923	91.1%	1.3%	85.3%	3.0%
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	565	90.5%	0.2%	90.0%	1.7%

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2019

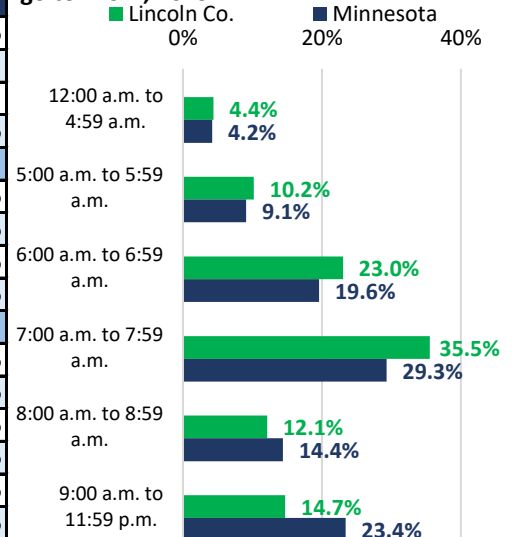


- White alone
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- Some Other Race
- Two or More Races

A smaller percentage of workers in Lincoln Co. worked in the same county in which they live compared to the state. Lincoln Co. also had a shorter average commute time than the state.

Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2019	Lincoln Co.		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Worked in state of residence	2,271	83.6%	2,837,697	97.6%
Worked in county of residence	1,486	54.7%	1,846,247	63.5%
Worked out of county of residence	785	28.9%	991,449	34.1%
Worked outside state of residence	446	16.4%	69,779	2.4%
<b>MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK</b>				
Car, truck, or van	2,247	82.7%	2,506,244	86.2%
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	11	0.4%	101,762	3.5%
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	120	4.4%	125,021	4.3%
Worked at home	342	12.6%	171,541	5.9%
<b>TRAVEL TIME TO WORK</b>				
Less than 10 minutes	780	28.7%	456,474	15.7%
10 to 19 minutes	543	20.0%	872,243	30.0%
20 to 29 minutes	383	14.1%	645,460	22.2%
30 to 44 minutes	736	27.1%	575,680	19.8%
45 to 59 minutes	139	5.1%	194,801	6.7%
60 or more minutes	136	5.0%	162,819	5.6%
<b>Mean travel time to work (minutes)</b>	<b>23.0 minutes</b>		<b>23.7 minutes</b>	

Figure 10. Time Leaving Home to go to Work, 2019



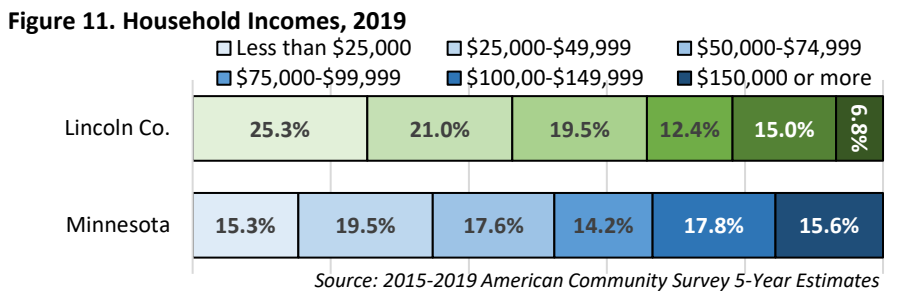
Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING

Lincoln Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Lincoln Co. had the 71st highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.

<b>Median Household Income</b>	<b>\$53,077</b>
state	\$71,306
<b>Median Family Income</b>	<b>\$70,813</b>
state	\$89,842
<b>Per Capita Income</b>	<b>\$30,253</b>
state	\$37,625

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey



Lincoln Co. also had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$14.08 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$15.42 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

**Table 9. Basic Needs Cost of Living Estimates, 2020**

Single Adult, 0 children	Single Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Lincoln Co.	\$29,292	\$14.08	\$0	\$358	\$163	\$540	\$796	\$246	\$338
State of Minnesota	\$32,964	\$15.85	\$0	\$355	\$153	\$832	\$704	\$325	\$378
Typical Family: 2 Adults (1 working full-time, 1 part-time), 1 child	Family Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Lincoln Co.	\$48,107	\$15.42	\$220	\$818	\$519	\$723	\$933	\$422	\$374
State of Minnesota	\$58,800	\$18.85	\$546	\$810	\$549	\$1,069	\$819	\$515	\$592

Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Lincoln Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 78th highest value of the 87 counties in 2019. Lincoln Co.'s housing stock was older than the state's, with a lower percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

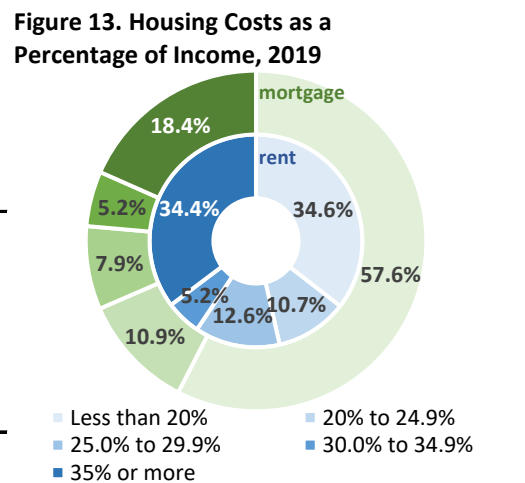
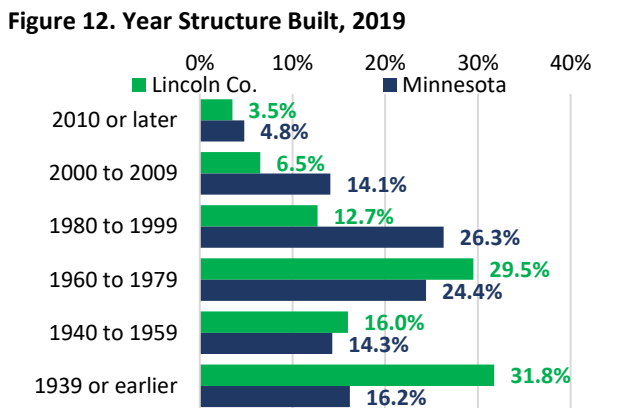
**Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-occupied Housing Units, 2019**

	Lincoln Co.		Minnesota
	Total	Percent	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,945</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Less than \$50,000	377	19.4%	4.6%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	570	29.3%	7.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	315	16.2%	12.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	242	12.4%	17.9%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	225	11.6%	28.1%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	159	8.2%	21.5%
\$500,000 or more	57	2.9%	7.9%
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	<b>\$103,100</b>		<b>\$223,900</b>

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

<b>Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage</b>	<b>\$1,078</b>
state	\$1,580
<b>Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs</b>	<b>23.6%</b>
state	21.8%
<b>Median monthly rent costs</b>	<b>\$616</b>
state	\$977
<b>Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent</b>	<b>39.7%</b>
state	45.1%

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates





## OCCUPATIONS

At \$18.79 in 2021, wages were lower in Region 8 than the state. Overall, Region 8 had the 3rd lowest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$42.05) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$12.44) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment Statistics, 2021

Occupational Group	Region 8				State of Minnesota		
	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	State-wide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs
<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	<b>\$18.79</b>	<b>51,340</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>\$23.00</b>	<b>2,708,760</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Management	\$42.05	2,210	4.3%	0.7	\$54.22	164,530	6.1%
Business & Financial Operations	\$30.71	1,870	3.6%	0.5	\$35.24	179,670	6.6%
Computer & Mathematical	\$39.44	530	1.0%	0.3	\$44.89	98,240	3.6%
Architecture & Engineering	\$33.48	720	1.4%	0.7	\$38.90	54,880	2.0%
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$26.98	920	1.8%	1.9	\$35.48	26,120	1.0%
Community & Social Service	\$21.84	930	1.8%	0.9	\$24.21	55,630	2.1%
Legal	\$30.38	150	0.3%	0.4	\$41.02	19,760	0.7%
Education, Training & Library	\$21.22	2,890	5.6%	1.0	\$24.64	159,060	5.9%
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$17.48	380	0.7%	0.6	\$25.72	36,260	1.3%
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$29.55	2,830	5.5%	0.8	\$36.90	188,210	6.9%
Healthcare Support	\$14.59	4,130	8.0%	1.4	\$15.52	157,140	5.8%
Protective Service	\$20.98	670	1.3%	0.8	\$24.18	42,520	1.6%
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$12.44	2,770	5.4%	0.7	\$13.34	195,120	7.2%
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$15.81	1,450	2.8%	1.0	\$16.14	74,550	2.8%
Personal Care & Service	\$14.44	890	1.7%	0.9	\$14.57	51,660	1.9%
Sales & Related	\$15.27	4,950	9.6%	1.0	\$16.83	250,430	9.2%
Office & Administrative Support	\$18.65	5,850	11.4%	0.9	\$20.93	338,050	12.5%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$18.32	570	1.1%	7.1	\$18.14	4,230	0.2%
Construction & Extraction	\$21.64	2,450	4.8%	1.3	\$29.84	102,390	3.8%
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$21.11	2,710	5.3%	1.4	\$25.45	98,840	3.6%
Production	\$18.16	6,710	13.1%	1.8	\$19.82	202,240	7.5%
Transportation & Material Moving	\$17.14	4,750	9.3%	1.2	\$18.83	209,210	7.7%

Source: DEED Occupational Employment Statistics, Qtr. 1 2021

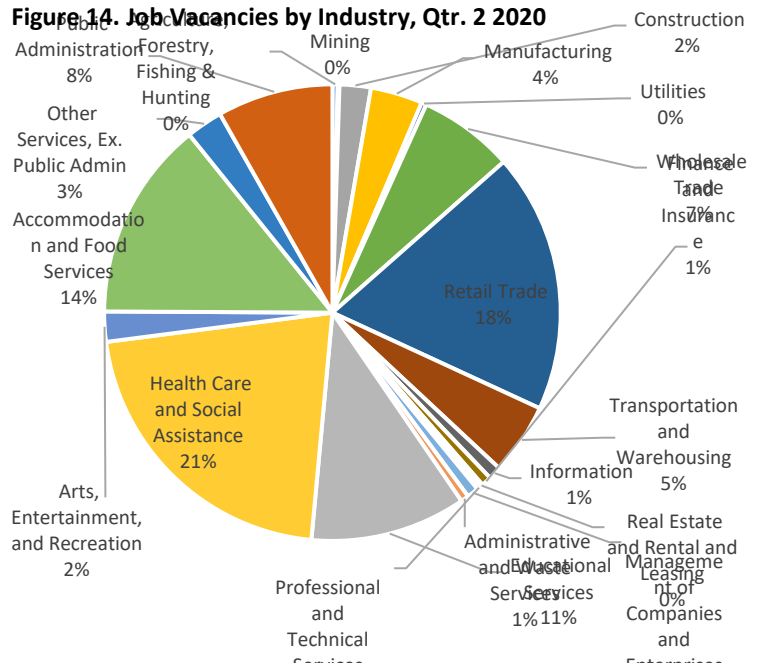
## JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Lincoln Co. is a part of Region 8, which includes Cottonwood, Jackson, Lincoln, Lyon, Murray, Nobles, Pipestone, Redwood, and Rock County. There were 6960 job vacancies posted by employers in the 2nd Quarter of 2020, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Region 8 Job Vacancy Survey Results, Qtr. 2 2020

Occupational Group	Number of Vacancies	Wage Offer
<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	<b>6,960</b>	<b>\$15.81</b>
Management	151	\$27.10
Business & Financial Operations	125	\$33.76
Computer & Mathematical	9	\$23.46
Architecture & Engineering	57	\$27.60
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	37	\$17.87
Community & Social Service	76	\$20.02
Education, Training & Library	500	\$19.12
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	421	\$29.93
Healthcare Support	683	\$14.30
Protective Service	250	\$13.07
Food Preparation & Serving Related	1,180	\$12.16
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	362	\$12.81
Personal Care & Service	117	\$11.74
Sales & Related	1,182	\$14.61
Office & Administrative Support	431	\$17.38
Construction & Extraction	97	\$17.63
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	278	\$20.62
Production	249	\$18.03
Transportation & Material Moving	706	\$19.41

Figure 14. Job Vacancies by Industry, Qtr. 2 2020



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, Qtr. 2 2020

OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

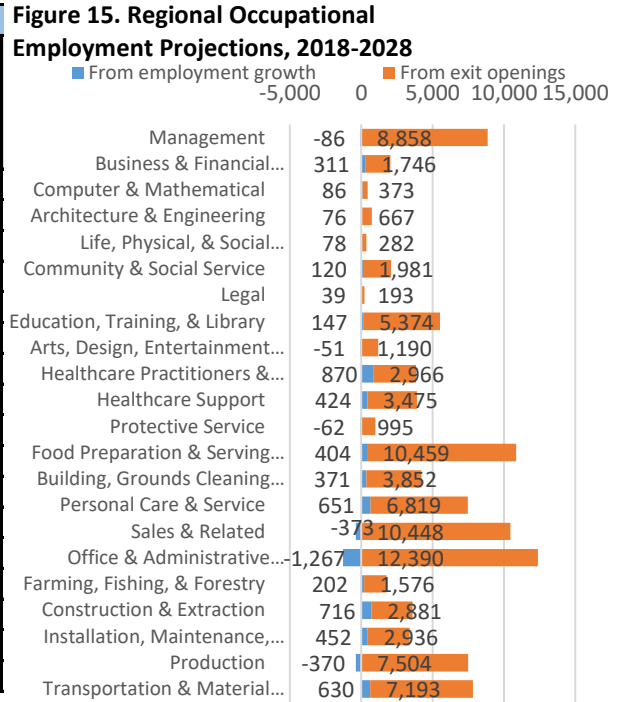
Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher
Home Health and Personal Care Aides \$28,035	Nursing Assistants \$30,933	Registered Nurses \$68,952	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education \$52,103
Retail Salespersons \$27,105	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses \$46,278	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers \$58,679	Physicians, All Other; and Ophthalmologists, Except Pediatric NA
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers \$41,484	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics \$35,447	Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists and \$60,317	Financial Managers \$99,935
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers \$45,441	Medical Dosimetrists, Medical Records Specialists, and Health Technologists and \$41,022	Civil Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$62,577	Civil Engineers \$86,311
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and \$28,667	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers \$47,376	Diagnostic Medical Sonographers \$78,847	General and Operations Managers \$74,397
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary \$28,887	Medical Assistants \$39,512	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians \$56,251	Physician Assistants \$117,551
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand \$33,694	Industrial Machinery Mechanics \$49,897	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians \$62,640	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical \$55,202
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, \$39,529	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics \$34,822	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$50,238	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical \$54,152
Stockers and Order Fillers \$28,316	Electricians \$58,008	Mechanical Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$45,140	Electrical Engineers \$87,297
Office Clerks, General \$35,222	Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Programmers \$62,213	Physical Therapist Assistants \$51,326	Construction Managers \$87,171

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

Lincoln Co. is a part of the Southwest planning region, which is projected to see a 0.9% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

Southwest Planning Region	Estimated Employment 2018	Projected Employment 2028	Percent Change 2018-2028
<b>Total, All Industries</b>	<b>206,422</b>	<b>209,790</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
Natural Resources & Mining	5,776	6,171	6.8%
Utilities	744	697	-6.3%
Construction	7,858	8,687	10.5%
Manufacturing	31,188	31,071	-0.4%
Wholesale Trade	8,530	7,993	-6.3%
Retail Trade	19,926	19,533	-2.0%
Transportation & Warehousing	7,465	7,898	5.8%
Information	2,549	2,364	-7.3%
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	7,693	7,584	-1.4%
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Companies	5,663	6,191	9.3%
Administrative & Waste Services	4,076	4,874	19.6%
Educational Services	17,510	17,483	-0.2%
Health Care & Social Assistance	30,568	32,922	7.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	14,593	14,825	1.6%
Other Services, Ex. Public Admin	7,423	7,058	-4.9%
Public Administration	12,956	12,681	-2.1%

Source: DEED 2018-2028 Employment Outlook



## ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Due to the pandemic recession, after losing jobs over the past year, Lincoln Co. had the 83rd largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Lincoln Co. was the 83rd fastest growing in the past year and the 80th fastest growing since 2015. From 2015 to 2020, employers in Lincoln Co. cut jobs, but lagged the state's -2.4% change.

216 business establishments

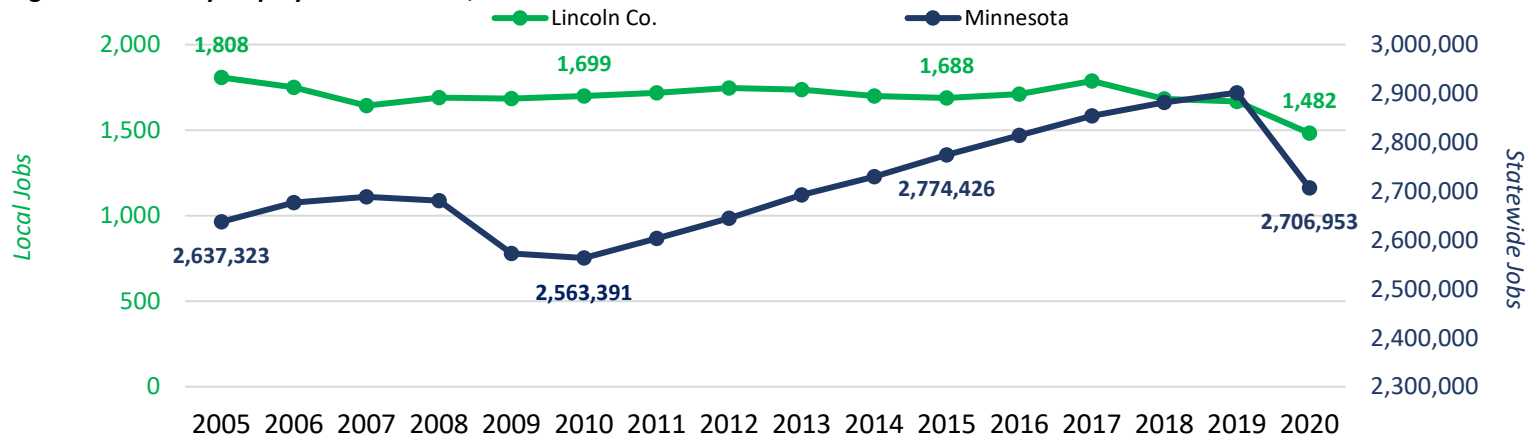
\$37,307 annual average wage

1,482 jobs

\$55,288,758 total industry payroll

Job change,  
2015-2020-206 jobs  
-12.2% decline

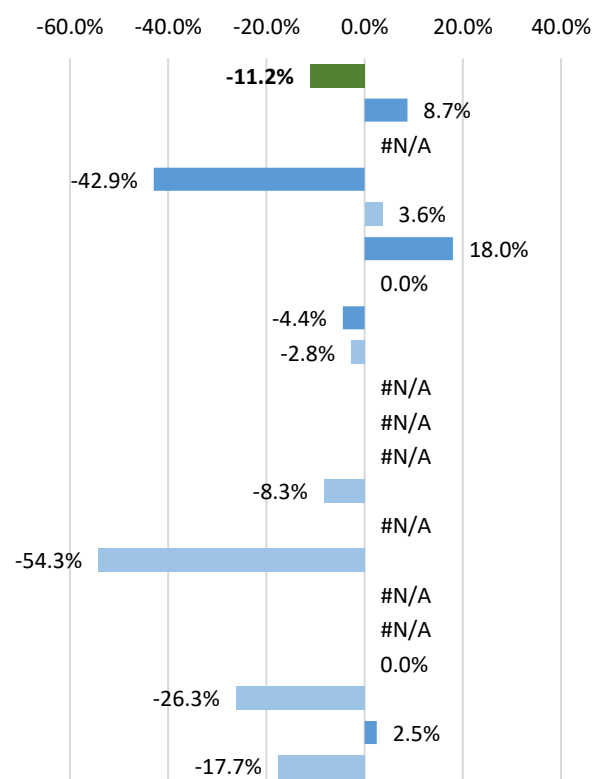
Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2005-2020



Source: DEED QCEW program

Table 3. Lincoln Co. Industry Employment Statistics, 2020	Number of Jobs	Percent of Total Jobs	Average Annual Wage
<b>Total, All Industries</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$37,307</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	112	7.6%	\$42,349
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	117	7.9%	\$44,286
Manufacturing	19	1.3%	\$49,339
Utilities	59	4.0%	\$84,553
Wholesale Trade	82	5.5%	\$45,454
Retail Trade	173	11.7%	\$17,350
Transportation & Warehousing	106	7.2%	\$38,868
Information	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Finance & Insurance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Professional & Technical Services	33	2.2%	\$29,652
Management of Companies	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	16	1.1%	\$9,732
Educational Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Health Care & Social Assistance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	30	2.0%	\$12,447
Accommodation & Food Services	59	4.0%	\$11,000
Other Services	49	3.3%	\$16,263
Public Administration	107	7.2%	\$40,306

Figure 2. Change in Jobs, 2019-2020



Source: DEED Quarterly Census of Employment &amp; Wages (QCEW)

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